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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Hiroyuki Nakamura, et al.

U.S. Serial No.: 10/635,004

Group Art Unit: 2817

Filed: : August 6, 2003

Examiner: To Be Assigned

For: SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE FILTER, AND ANTENNA  
DUPLEXER AND COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT USING THE SAME

**LETTER TO EXAMINER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to filing of the above-identified application on August 6, 2003, the undersigned received a date-stamped postcard from the U.S. PTO that indicated the application number for this case as 10/635,019. Thereafter, on October 21, 2003, the undersigned filed a Supplemental Preliminary Amendment, Information Disclosure Statement (IDS), PTO Form 1449 and cited documents under a heading with "U.S. Application No. 10/635,019".

From receipt of subsequent papers from the PTO (Official Filing Receipt, Notice to File Missing Parts, etc.) the undersigned since has learned that the original postcard application number information was incorrect and that the correct application number for this case is as shown in the above caption, namely, 10/635,004. Therefore, the undersigned's prior Supplemental Preliminary Amendment and IDS both referenced an incorrect application number.

For this reason, a copy of each of the papers filed with the incorrect application number also is enclosed with this filing. The incorrect application number has been highlighted, and the correct number has been noted in red ink.

The Examiner is hereby requested to enter and consider the Supplemental Preliminary Amendment-and-IDS papers. Also, request respectfully is made to withdraw the papers from the PTO file for U.S. Patent Application No. 10/635,019.

Respectfully submitted,  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL  
APPLICATION, FILED UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed November 3, 2003, Applicants submit herewith the following documents relating to the above-captioned patent application:

- \* A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application;
- \* Executed Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- \* Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet and Executed Assignment;
- \* Letter to Examiner;
- \* Marked-Up Copy of Supplemental Preliminary Amendment (filed October 21, 2003 with incorrect application number – application number obtained from date-stamped postcard)
- \* Marked-Up Copy of Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449 and cited documents (filed October 21, 2003 with incorrect application number – application number obtained from date-stamped postcard);
- \* Check for \$1608 to cover the filing fee (\$770), recordation fee (\$40), surcharge (\$130) and extra claims (\$668).

If any additional fees are due in connection with this filing, such as fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fees to SGR

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